

GAVE HIM A BAD STAB.

Two of Topeka's Floating Population Fall Out

IN A DISCUSSION OF POLITICS.

John Adams Seriously If Not Fatally Wounded by a Tramp Known as "Charlie."

A serious cutting fight took place last evening about 6 o'clock, in the woods near the starch factory. John Adams, colored, was seriously if not fatally wounded by a white tramp known as "Charlie" who had been in the city only a day or two. The man who did the cutting escaped and Sheriff Burdige and the police are now searching for him.

The story told by Adams is a strange one. He says that he and two women, Annie Bailey a colored woman of bad reputation, and Carrie Hinkley a white woman, were out walking when they came upon three white men encamped in the woods. They opened up a conversation and Adams and "Charlie" proceeded to discuss the political situation. Adams argued for straight out Republicanism while the other man could only see good in the Populist theory of the government. The men became warmed up and were soon calling each other names.

They then came to blows, and Adams struck the other man with his fist. He retaliated by plunging a knife into Adams' side. The man who did the cutting and his companions then ran. The two women took Adams down to the creek and attempted to stop the flow of blood, and the colored woman came to the Santa Fe depot and notified Officer Owens of the trouble.

Adams was brought to the police station and was attended by County Health Officer C. E. McClintock. The doctor found a severe wound about four inches below the left arm pit in the region of the heart, which punctured the thoracic artery, and another near the center of the back much less serious. Adams was removed to the hospital in North Topeka this morning. The bleeding had been stopped and it is thought he will recover.

The police say that the wounded man came to Topeka in company with the white woman from Osage City about a week ago and have been hanging around in the eastern part of the city since then. The white woman has not been found. Annie Bailey is being held by the police to await developments.

IT SAWS BOTH WAYS.

How the Coal Strike Takes Bread Out of Shopmen's Mouths.

ALTOONA, Pa., May 9.—An order taking effect at once has been issued to the employees of the Pennsylvania railroad shops at this place to work only four days a week and nine hours on each of these days.

It affects 7,000 men and paralyzes business to a great extent in this city. The depression is attributed to the present coal strike.

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25 lbs. Extra C Sugar	\$1 00
1 box 12 cakes Coco Oil	20
Large White or Red Colo. Potatoes	per bu 1 00
Pettijohn's Breakfast Food, per package	10
8 lbs. Navy Beans	25
No. 1 Sugar Cured Hams, per lb.	10 1/2
Dry Salt Side Bacon, per lb.	8
7 bars White Russian Soap	25
8 bars White Spanish Soap	25
6 lbs. California Raisins	25
6 lbs. California Grapes	25
2 cans California Fruits	25
8 lbs. English Currants	25
4 cans Vinton Corn	25
8 cans 3 lb. Tomatoes	25
Lewis Lye, per can	10
7 lbs. Gloss Starch	25
10 lbs. Washing Soda	25
Star Baking Powder, per lb.	15
8 cans Primrose Corn	25

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Items of Interest About Topeka People and Visitors in Town.

Yesterday at noon, Mr. John Sargent of this city and Miss Grace Churchill, were united in marriage at the home of the bride in Kansas City, Kas.

The ceremony was more than usually impressive and the bridal chorus from "Lohengrin" was sung by three small maidens dressed in white led by the bride's little brother, as the bride and groom entered the parlor and took their places in a bay window banked with palms. Rev. Dr. Bachus repeated solemn ring service, and after the usual congratulations a wedding breakfast was served in the dining room. The table was laid entirely in white and an ephege of ferns formed an exquisite center piece, while carnations and ferns were dropped at careless intervals upon the cloth.

The bride's gown was exceedingly simple, of white china silk, made high in the neck and the yoke outlined with lillies of the valley. She wore white satin slippers and suede gloves and carried a bouquet of lillies of the valley.

She is a charming girl and lived in Topeka several years ago, and Mr. Sargent is a son of John R. Sargent the contractor. The bride couple will spend several days in Excelsior Springs and will be at home after May 12, at 235 Clay street.

Tin Wedding Anniversary.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Washburn celebrated their tin wedding last evening at their home 1125 Washburn avenue, and the guests enjoyed their hospitality to the following extent:

The rooms bore evidence of dainty touches here and there, in the form of potted plants, and the blossoms of the season, and for favors each guest was given a bunch of tiny tin bells tied with narrow ribbon. Besides this, the ice cream was served in tin cups, which were retained as souvenirs. Cards and music were the pastimes of the evening, and the hostess was assisted by Mrs. A. Washburn, Misses Mabel Canniff and Viola White. Among the guests were Messrs. and Mesdames James A. Troutman, H. E. Overholt, J. E. McLeod, H. M. Washburn, R. L. Neesbaum, John Gordon, Mrs. A. B. Campbell, Miss Elliott, Mrs. Viola Troutman, and Messrs. A. D. Washburn, O. S. Townsend and J. S. Newman. Many useful and ornamental presents of tinware will serve as a reminder of the occasion.

A Little Folks Party.
Master Willie Danford was surprised at his home on Taylor street yesterday afternoon by a party of little folks coming in to celebrate his tenth birthday. Games were played on the lawn until six o'clock, when refreshments were served by Mrs. Danford, assisted by Miss Lizzie Danford, and Miss Blanche Johnston.

Those present were Jessie and Walter Myers, Myron, Helen, and Inez Halcourt, Gertrude and Gray Phinney, Lawrence and Harry Millsap, Robbie Harrison, Lena Purviance, Gracie McCoy and Georgia Platt.

A Musical.
The musicale given by the Ladies' Aid society of the Central Congregational church at the home of Miss Hattie Holman last evening was a very entertaining affair and the following young people participated: Misses Mary Harrison, Magill, Lucia Morgan, Nina Morgan, Lida Parmalee, Bessie Gibson, Hubert, Myron, Holman, and Messrs. A. D. Washburn, O. S. Townsend and J. S. Newman.

General Social Notes.
Mrs. G. O. Wilmarth has gone to Hutchinson. Miss Bertie Brown is attending the annual meeting of the W. H. M. society of the M. E. church. She went as delegate from the Lowman H. auxiliary.

Mrs. J. P. Rogers and Miss Jessie Tipton went to Hutchinson today for the musical contest. Mrs. J. P. Howe has returned from a visit in Kansas City. Dr. Callahan is quite ill at his home on East Eighth street.

Mrs. Leistikio of Roseville is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. E. Maxwell on Tyler street this week.

Mrs. Robert Tweeddale has returned from Ft. Madison, Ia., and Mr. Tweeddale is expected Sunday.

Miss Mabel Daniels will give a birthday party tonight.

Mrs. Frank Blanch is visiting in Burlington.

Mrs. C. A. Fellows has returned from Kansas City.

Mrs. H. G. Williams who has been the guest of Mrs. W. C. Campbell will return to Pueblo tomorrow.

The following item appeared in the Indianapolis (Ind.) Sentinel, Sunday, May 6:—Mrs. Matt C. Welch was a formerly a resident of this city but now of Topeka, Kan., is visiting the family of her cousin, Mr. J. P. Durham, at 99 College avenue.

An Enjoyable Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy F. Morgan gave a pleasant party Monday evening at their home, 1027 Madison street, in honor of Misses Lillian and Annie Brunsell of Chicago. Music and games were the amusements of the evening and refreshments were served. Those present were Misses Amy Roberts, Alice Roberts, L. T. Allen, Hester Van Horn, Dora Dentz, Vinnie Stanard, Mrs. E. Morgan, Mrs. N. S. May of Arizona, Mrs. Stanard, Mrs. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Robinson, Messrs. Russell Harris, O. A. Young, Wm. Baldwin, Roy Hammond, Silas Rosa, W. Stanard and Grant Hammond.

Notes About the City.

A fishing party composed of Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Nicol, Miss Herboldsheimer, Mr. Straub, Mr. Snyder and Mr. Herboldsheimer returned Monday from Maple Hill and report having caught twenty-five pounds of fish.

Mrs. E. F. Coe, who has been making an extended visit with relatives in this city, returned to her home in Santa Barbara, Cal., Tuesday afternoon, accompanied by her granddaughter, Miss Bessie Hughes, the well known pianist, of this city. Miss Hughes expects to be absent about six months.

Mrs. Fred H. Glick is visiting her parents at Omaha.

Mrs. A. E. Baker is attending the state musical festival at Hutchinson this week, the guest of Mrs. Fletcher Meredith of the Hutchinson Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Koon left Tuesday afternoon for a trip to Washington, Philadelphia and other eastern cities.

Mrs. W. W. Gillespie and son have gone to Galveston, Texas, to spend a couple of weeks.

Miss Ethel Morton is ill with the measles.

J. F. Mayfield of Alvin, Texas, is spending a few days in town.

Mrs. J. O. Payne will leave Sunday for

Minneapolis, Minn., for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Sproat will spend Thursday in Kansas City.

Mr. J. M. McNeal and Mr. W. W. Frisbie went to Hutchinson today.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lacey will move from east Seventh street to 710 Harrison, next week.

WOMAN SUFFRAGISTS HERE

Noted Women Arrive in the City Today—The Meeting Tonight.

Tonight at Hamilton hall will be held the first of a series of rallies in the interests of equal suffrage. It is the aim of the meetings to win new converts to the cause of female suffrage, and to this end six of the most noted speakers on this subject in the country have been provided by the local suffragists.

Among the out-of-town speakers are Susan B. Anthony, Laura M. Johns, Carrie Lane Chapman Catt, Helen M. Kimber, Rachel L. Child, Mrs. Theresa Jenkins, Anna Shaw and Annie L. Diggs. All of these speakers with the exception of the last two arrived in Topeka this noon on the Union Pacific train from the east. Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. Diggs are expected tomorrow.

Miss Anthony is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Mulvane. Mrs. Catt will be entertained at the home of Mrs. J. R. Thurston; Miss Kimber and Mrs. Johns will stay with Mr. and Messrs T. E. Bowman; Anna Shaw will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Lyon, and Mrs. Theresa Jenkins will lodge with Mrs. Margaret Hill McCauley. The other speakers will go to the hotels.

The meeting which begins tonight will continue through tomorrow. It is a county rally, and is intended to reach all of Shawnee. A great many farmers and their wives, as well as other out-of-town people are expected.

At the session tonight the Alhambra mandolin club will give several selections and Rev. F. M. Porch will offer prayer. Then James Willis Glead and Mrs. Emma Pack will each offer an address of welcome. Mrs. Pack is the matron at the insane asylum and editress of the "Farmer's Wife." Laura M. Johns will reply to the address of welcome, and she will be followed by the two principal speakers of the occasion, Miss Susan B. Anthony and Carrie Lane Chapman Catt.

Tomorrow morning there will be a business meeting followed by a general discussion led by Mrs. Bina A. Otis, president of the Women's Progressive Political league. There will also be an address by Helen Kimber and short talks by Miss Anthony, Mrs. Chapman Catt and Mrs. Jenkins.

In the afternoon Rev. Dr. Embree will ask invocation and the speakers will be Rachel L. Child and Annie L. Diggs. Tomorrow night Rev. Mr. Farrand will pray, and after music the Woman's Cause will be discussed by Rev. Anna H. Shaw and Mrs. Theresa Jenkins, of Wyoming. Dr. Harding says that Mrs. Mary E. Lease is also liable to speak at this meeting.

No admission is charged to any of these meetings and the public generally is invited.

MRS. LEASE READY FOR FIGHT.

She Favors the Amendment and Believes It Will Win Despite Craft.

Mrs. Mary E. Lease can be here to attend the big equal suffrage rally, but she has been interviewed especially on woman suffrage at her home and says: "The people of Kansas stand at the beginning of a period of new political issues and agitations. The Democratic party, never strong in this state, has been rent and disintegrated by its own greed and selfishness, and its leaders, recognizing how futile would be an effort on their part, are willing to ally themselves with their Republican brethren, between them and whom there is perfect harmony in everything from finance to whisky, but the other wing of Democracy known as Fusionists have become the political Lancers of the state, and lean and ravenous, they wait at the Populist gate for stray crumbs, flies and pitying dogs to lick their sores. On one question, however, the Democrats of whatever shade or condition are fully agreed—their opposition to woman suffrage."

The Republican party, long given its day of grace, is marshaling its forces for a most determined struggle. If it profits by the lessons of the past, if it listens to the warnings words of its friends, if it relegates the pestiferous and corrupt old barnacles to the rear and declares in favor of the money of the constitution and "equal rights for all," it may yet face the almost extinct coals in its smoldering hearth into living flames. If the Populists adopt a suffrage plank the Republicans will be compelled to, and vice versa, but they are cowardly and politic and will not dare to stand for right because it is right.

"What will the Populist party do? The rank and file of the country people, who are largely in the Populist ranks, are in favor of a suffrage plank in their state platform, as they wish to give their wives and daughters the same privileges that the women of the town and cities are in possession of. Their vote will be cast solidly to strike the word 'male' from the constitution of Kansas. It is an unaccustomed set of politicians who have no higher conception of reform and patriotism than holding office and drawing salary are willing to sell the principles of the Populist party for Democratic votes, and to obtain these votes they must oppose woman suffrage and strike at woman whenever possible, for the average Democrat is a foe to home, and freedom, and progress. There is an eternal antagonism between Democracy and human advancement."

"However, a tremendous revolt is in progress all over the state against these pollsters and rustlers, who have boarded the ship of state for the spoils of office and nailed to the masthead the Democratic ensign while sending to the senate of the United States John Martin, a man whose moral cowardice and recent vote against an investigation of the 'sugar steal' is a disgrace to the commonwealth of Kansas. The people are awake and determined, and should the fusionists capture the primaries, as they are now trying to do, they will be defeated at the polls."

Walking Delegates Will Ride.

CHICAGO, May 9.—The striking painters of this city have organized a bicycle brigade of thirty wheels to use in hunting down non-union painters. The walking delegates will hereafter ride. The jobs on which the non-union men are at work are scattered about residences and suburban districts. To obviate the difficulty of following them up the wheels are being pressed into service.

HOW TO GROW FLESHY

It Is a Question of Food and Nothing Else,

AND EASILY UNDERSTOOD.

A Clear and Simple Explanation of the Entire Subject Drawn From Nature.

If we want to learn about this we must study Nature. Let us look at the lower animals. The pig contains more fat in proportion to its weight than any other animal. What food does it eat? Starchy food. It can digest its food. The animals that eat starchy food are the heaviest in the world, as witness the elephant, the rhinoceros, the horse, the steer, etc.

It is well known that people who are too fat are always advised by doctors not to eat starchy food. The reverse is always true. If you want to get fat eat starchy food.

But digestion. That is often the trouble. Anemics and dyspeptics cannot properly digest starchy food. It causes pain, eruptions and distress. By eating starchy food that has been artificially digested, you can overcome this trouble. Paskola is such a food.

The specialists who first prepared Paskola made it of starch because they knew that starch is the only food that fattens. They made it of fruit because fruit is naturally healthy, and because the fruit of which Paskola is prepared, contains ferments which help to digest other food. They thought Paskola would be a good food for thin people, but they little thought it would be such a wonderful success as it has become. What it does for one person, always makes ten more buy it. It cures dyspepsia.

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I became thin, very thin, in fact I was extremely emaciated. A physician recommended the use of the "Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil," but my stomach was so very weak that it seemed to aggravate the nausea and I could not continue it. In fact, nothing did me much good until I began the use of Paskola. Now my appetite is splendid, my food does me good. I have gained in flesh and have not suffered that dreadful nausea after eating one *single time* since the very first dose of the food. I ever took. I really cannot say too much in favor of it, and I sincerely hope that any one suffering as I did may take this means of relieving themselves, as it is a speedy and certain cure. Yours very respectfully,

MRS. A. D. MOSELEY, 220 High st.

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The Pre-Digested Food Co., 30 Reade street, New York.

GENTLEMEN: Your sample of Paskola came safely to hand. I did not give it to others but took it myself. Was from home while taking it, and a flesh maker, and in digesting other diets, and not only a food but very pleasant to take. With thanks I am

Most respectfully,
D. P. BELL, M. D.

Paskola may be obtained of any reputable druggist. A pamphlet on food and digestion will be mailed free on application to the Pre-Digested Food Co., 30 Reade st., New York.

BUYS A BIG TRACT.

A. J. King and Son Purchase the Thacher Ranch for \$20,000.

Mr. A. J. King and son, Horace King, of New York, have been in Kansas several weeks and looking at Kansas farms, with a view of investing.

After extensive examination and personal inspection of farms in several counties they finally selected as best meeting their views the Thacher ranch, on Mission creek. This attractive property is twelve miles southwest of Topeka. It consists of 880 acres. It comprises some of the famous Mission Creek bottoms.

The ranch has extensive burns and sheds and is well adapted to the cattle business, to which it is understood Mr. King will devote it.

The most interesting feature of this transaction is that Mr. King is a "cash buyer," and Mr. Horace King, the son, who is an experienced cattle man, having been several years in the cattle business in Utah and Arizona, will make this ranch his home. A new house for his residence will be one of the early improvements.

It is an encouraging symptom to note that eastern men with money and experience are beginning to discover that the rich farming and pasture lands of Kansas offer today the best investment that can be found east or west.

Messrs. King paid \$20,000 cash for the ranch. It is safe to say that New Yorkers have made a fortunate purchase. Mr. King is connected with the New York agency of R. G. Dun & Co.

New York Press.

The chief charm of the entertainment given in Steinway Hall last evening, in the presence of a refined audience, in honor of Miss Ellen Beach Yaw, was its simplicity. Miss Yaw, whose sweet face and girlish grace of manner captivated the audience, sang two or three songs with a clear, pure and unaffected style, and had the good sense to respond to recalls by singing some Scotch ballads with equally good effect.

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NORTH TOPEKA.

Items of Interest from the North Side of the River.

Officer and Mrs. O. M. Capron are the parents of an infant son.

J. H. Foucht is in Wichita attending the Sunday school convention.

Rev. Calvin Holman went down to Grantville today on a business trip.

Miss Alice Foreman, of Springfield, Ill., is the guest of Miss Jennie Finch.

C. W. Lukens went to Wabunsee county today to look after his farming interests.

The Good Literature reading circle will meet this evening at the residence of the residence of O. D. Skinner, 1129 Jackson street. Subject for the evening, Carlyle.

Columbus Steward, of Tempe, Arizona, is in the city visiting his cousin, C. D. Myers. He is returning home from an eastern trip and will remain here but a few days.

J. H. Saylor, a farmer from the Delaware valley in Jefferson county, was in the city today. He says the outlook for a big crop was never better, and that many fruit trees are overladen.

The second production of "The King's Daughter" at Lull's opera house last night was witnessed by fully as large an audience as was the initial performance. The ladies of the guild are well pleased with the financial results.

The North side is developing and growing in every direction. New stores are being opened, old ones enlarged and now there is being established a real "club." It will be located in the basement of the Adams block and will be under the management of Johnnie Collinsworth and Nick Childs. It will contain fifty lockers, billiard and pool tables and all the rest of the "club" paraphernalia.

The little babe of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson that was so badly burned in Sunday night's fire, is thought to be slightly improved today, and hopes are entertained of its recovery. Its face is so badly burned that it will probably be scarred for life. An error was made in stating that the parents were absent at the time of the accident, as they were both there, and the mother probably saved the little one from instant death by wrapping it in her skirts.

When you need lumber give E. P. Ewart, the new dealer a call, 1012 Kansas avenue, north. Monarch gasoline stoves at Henry's. Go to Henry's for roofing and spouting.

Lukens Bros are selling full leather top buggies and harness, for \$60. J. H. Foucht will sell you a full leather top buggy with a \$10 harness for \$75 spot cash.

Take your prescriptions to A. J. Arnold & Son, 821 Kansas ave. Established 1870. Leave orders for bakery goods at St. Louis bakery, 1008 Kansas avenue.

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Get your tennis shoes at the Blue Front shoe store, 820 Kansas avenue.

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Beaten By Strikers. UNIONTOWNS, Pa., May 9.—A battle occurred at the Hill Farm works north of here at daylight, in which about twenty-five shots were fired by deputies, but no one was injured by bullets, but four workmen were badly beaten by the strikers, one of them, Richard Harburger, it is thought being fatally injured.

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A YARB DOCTOR. The County Health Officer After Ignorant Creatures Who "Practice Medicine."

County health officer Dr. C. S. McClintock today went before the county attorney and swore out a warrant for the arrest of a colored woman who lives east of the Santa Fe shops who calls herself "Dr. Thompson."

"Dr. Thompson" and her partner a colored man "Dr. Boot" have had an extensive practice among the colored people of the city. These doctors make a specialty of what they call "chronic" diseases and Dr. Thompson says she knows what is the matter with her patients by "looking in the motor." Her medicines are "mostly yarbs" but she sometimes uses other medicines and as she cannot write, her partner